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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application No.: 10/014,665

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Title: PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF OXANDROLONE

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## REQUEST TO COMPLETE NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

In reviewing the application identified above upon allowance, the undersigned has noted:

- ☒ The Notice of Allowance shows the following discrepancy(ies):  
The Examiner has not indicated acceptance of the Drawing in the application. It is therefore respectfully requested that the Examiner issue a Notice indicating acceptance of the Drawing as soon as possible.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is therefore requested to correct this discrepancy and issue a corrected Notice of Allowance.

- ☐ The priority document filed \_\_\_\_\_ has not been acknowledged by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. Acknowledgment of this priority document is respectfully requested.

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- ☒ The Form PTO-1449 submitted with the Information Disclosure Statement(s) filed on **October 20, 2003** has not yet been returned. It is therefore respectfully requested that this form(s) be returned as soon as possible indicating consideration of the document(s) mentioned thereon.

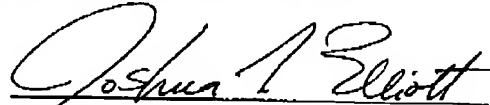
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